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Letter and Writing Paper, of different qualities; 50 Reams of excellent Wrapping Paper, &c. &c.

Navigators, Seamen's Journals, &c.

☞ BLANKS of all kinds, handsomely printed on good paper, for Sale as above.

Newport, August 30.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, admitted an Attorney and Counsellor at Law, offers his professional services to the Public, and further informs them that he has formed a connexion in business with William Hunter, Esq.

NICHOLAS G. BOSS.

Newport, Nov. 8.

Pure Sperm Oil, at 45 cts.

THE Subscribers offer for Sale, at the stores of their Agents, *Freeborn Coggeshall*, and *Henry Gardner*, in Thames-Street, the first quality of summer strained sperm OIL, at 45 cents per gallon, in any quantity from a half pint to 1000 gallons.

R. POTTER.
N. RUGGLES.

Newport, Oct. 4.

FOR SALE,

30 Shares in the WASHINGTON BANK, at Westerly, by

J. C. SHAW.

Newport, Nov. 15.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers having been duly appointed by the Hon Hodijah Baylies Judge of the Court of Probate of Wills, &c. for the county of Bristol, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the Estate of

STEPHEN B. CHACE,

late of Somerset, in said county, Merchant, deceased, represented insolvent, hereby give notice, that Six Months are allowed said creditors to bring in and prove their claims and that we will attend that service, at the dwelling-house of Mary B Chace, in Somerset, on the first Thursdays of December and of the four following months, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

WILLIAM REED.
BILLINGS COGGESHALL.
JOSEPH E. REED.

Nov. 10, 1823.

Administrator's Notice.

THE Subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that she has been duly appointed and taken upon herself the trust of Administratrix of the Estate of

STEPHEN B. CHACE,

late of Somerset, in the county of Bristol, Merchant, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs. She therefore requests all persons who are indebted to the said deceased's estate, to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon, to exhibit the same for settlement to

MARY B. CHACE.

New Goods.

JAMES HAMMOND

HAS Received his Supply of Fall and Winter DRY GOODS, viz:—

Pelisse Cloths, Flannels, Caroline Plaids, Blankets, Scotch & Tartan Plaids, Figured Bombazetts. Twil'd & plain Bombazett Bombazins. Fashionable Prints, &c.

ALSO.

A Few Pieces of CARPETINGS, of handsome patterns, warranted all Wool, and fast colors.

One Case of Irish Linens, and One do Sea-Island Shirtings.

The above, with a great Variety of India, European and American DRY GOODS, are this day opened, and for sale as above.

Newport, Nov. 1.

NEW BOOKS.

JAMES HAMMOND.

Has for Sale,

REGINALD DALTON, by the author of Valerius, 2 vols.

A Year in Europe, by Griscom, 2 vls

Spectre of the Forest, by the author of the Wilderness, 2 vols.

The Maurauder, 1 vol.

Handel's Hadyn Collection of Sacred Music,

Koningsmarke, the Long Fiune, 2 volumes,

Asiatic, European, American and Polar scenes, 1 vol, each,

ALSO, A variety of new and improved Juvenile Books.

School-Books,

Of all kinds in use in this Town and Vicinity,

Farmer's, Christian & Rhode-Island

ALMANACKS for 1824,

50 Reams Foolscap Paper
50 do. Letter Paper,
100 do. tea & wrapping paper

And a general variety of BOOKS & STATIONARY.

Newport, Nov. 1.

Rhode-Island and New York Steam-Boats,

THIS line is now arranged as follows, and will continue until further notice;—

From Providence.

The *Fulton*, Capt. Comstock, will depart every Tuesday, at 7 o'clock P. M. and leave Newport at an early hour on Wednesday; and the *Connecticut*, Capt. Bunker, every Friday, at 7 o'clock P. M. leaving Newport at an early hour on Saturday morning.

From New-York.

The *Connecticut*, Capt Bunker, will depart every Wednesday, at 3 o'clock P. M.; and the *Fulton*, Capt. Comstock, every Saturday, at 3 o'clock, P. M.

☞ The Passengers who wish to go in the Boat to New-York, from Newport, are required to come on board as soon as the Boats arrive at Newport from Providence—Notice of which will be left at Mr. *Townsend's*.

Nov. 7, 1823.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber having been appointed by the Court of Common Pleas for the county of Newport, Nov. term 1823, Assignee of estate and effects of Benjamin Marble, jun of Newport shipwright, now petitioning for the benefit of an Act for the relief of insolvent debtors, hereby gives notice to the creditors to exhibit and prove their claims against the estate of said *Marble* within six months from the date hereof agreeably to law.

NICHOLAS G. BOSS, *Assignee.*

Newport, Nov. 6.

NEW GOODS

PECKHAM & BARKER.

Have just received direct from the Manufacturers, by the ship Balance arrived at New-York,

THEIR Fall supply of Hardware Cutlery, &c.—among which are,

Anvils, vices, frame chains, brass kettles, tad and taper's irons, flemish tacks and clout nails, cart and wagon boxes, brass and iron butts and hinges; Norfolk, brass bevelled, gate, thumb and Scotch spring latches; shutter lifts and screws; stub and plate iron squares; timber scribes; saws of all descriptions a complete assortment of firmer and socket chisels and gouges; plane irons, trying squares, compasses, box rules, drawing knives, shingling hatchets, gimlets, augers, coach wrenches, braces and bits, bed and wood screws, shovels and tongs, halter chains, cloak pins, hat and cloak hooks, pincers, nippers pivers, bed keys, commode locks, brass carpet rods and eyes, coal hods, sauce pans, pint and quart tinned iron porringers, hand basins, tea kettles and boilers, iron and britannia spoons, a very handsome assortment of *Knives and Forks* consisting of white bone, ham buck, real buck, horn tip and ivory handles, of table, dessert and tea. Also, pocket and pen knives, scissors, shears and razors; an extensive assortment of files and locks, of all descriptions, from the best manufactory in England. Also, cast and English blistered steel, of the very best quality. Likewise, sheet copper, sheet lead, iron and cross wire, shovels, mill saws, cordage, hollow ware; to which they have added an excellent assortment of Swedes Iron, by the ton or less quantity. All of which will be sold at wholesale or retail on the most favourable terms.

Providence, Nov. 6. 3w

TO LET,

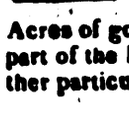
And possession given the 25th of March,

THE FARM on the Island of Conanicut, now occupied by *Mr. George Knowles*, containing 273 Acres of good Land, being the north part of the Beaver-tail Estate—For further particulars and terms, apply to

AUDLEY CLARKE.

Newport, Nov. 1.

FOR SALE.



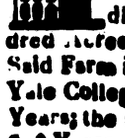
THE WHITE HALL FARM so called, situated in Middletown, containing One Hundred Acres of most excellent Land—Said Farm is holden by a Lease from Yale College, given originally for 999 Years; the unexpired term of which is 958 Years, subject to an Annual Payment to said College of 140 Dollars;—The lease-hold interest in said Farm has been assigned to the Subscribers, by Oliver Wightman, for the benefit of his Creditors, and will be sold accordingly, at Private or Public Sale.—If not disposed of at Private Sale, it will be offered at Public Auction, on the 20th March next.

DUTEE J. PEARCE, } *Assignees*
JAMES SHAW.

Newport, Sept. 19, 1823.

TO LET,

And immediate Possession given,

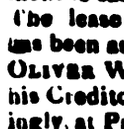


THAT convenient and pleasantly situated Dwelling-House in Spring-street, near Trinity-Church, and lately occupied by Mrs *Johnston*.—The House is in good repair, with a large Garden, and has every convenience for a family—For terms, &c. apply to

JOHN P. MANN.

Newport, Nov. 1.

FOR SALE, or TO LET,



THAT pleasantly situated and well finished House Broad-street, formerly owned by *David Williams*.—For terms, apply to STEPHEN GOULD.

FOR SALE,

Or To LET for the term of 6, 12 & 18 months, and possession given immediately,

THAT convenient Dwelling-House lately occupied by Capt. *Crandall*, at the head of Mary-street, next west of the Jail-house, with four rooms on the lower floor and 3 fire-places, four chambers a good garden and cellar, and a well of water.—For terms, apply to

NICHOLAS GERROY.

Newport, Nov. 6.

Groceries.

STEPHEN CAHOONE,

No 118, Thames-Street.

Has for Sale, at Wholesale and Retail,

A General Assortment of GROCERIES, of excellent qualities, and reduced prices; among which is a lot of superior Havana Brown Sugars, for family use.

Also, Just received direct from the Manufactory, a quantity of Scotch Snuff, in bladders of various sizes;—Maccaboy Do. in jars and half-pound bottles—not only much cheaper than any in market, but *warranted as good.*

Newport, May 24.

S. & G. BOWEN

Have for Sale, at their Store on Stevens' Wharf,

3000 Gallons Whale OIL,
30 Hhds. first quality Molasses
100 Barrels Boston Bef
100 boxes Tallow Candles
150 do. Sperm Do.
150 bbls. Wilmington Tar
50 do. Rosin
150 M. Cedar Shingles
20 casks Rice; 3000 wt. old copper
Bar Iron, Anchors, Duck & Cordage

With a general Assortment of *Ship-Chandlery & Groceries*

Newport, June 21.

FALL SUPPLY,

S. H. CAHOONE.

CHEAP **DRY-GOODS 110** STORE.

THAMES-STREET,

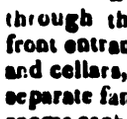
Has this day received.

HIS Fall Supply of GOODS comprising as an extensive Assortment as can be found at any Store in Town, which he offers for Sale as cheap as can be bought at any store in the State.

☞ Purchasers will do well to call and look, as the assortment is too great for an advertisement.

Newport, Oct. 11.

FOR SALE, or TO LET,



THE Estate on Thames Street, formerly the residence of Gov. *Wanton*—Being divided by entries through the middle, and having two front entrances, and seperate kitchens and cellars, it would accommodate two seperate families with 7 or 8 convenient rooms each, besides 4 plastered rooms in the garret—It has a good Garden, and the lot extends to the Harbor. The House has lately been thoroughly repaired, and is perfectly sound—It may be purchased at a low price, and payment may be made in 5 or more (if required) yearly installments; security upon the Estate would be accepted for all except the first payment.—The same Estate is offered to be Let.

B. HAZARD.

Newport, Oct 11.

NOTICE.

Court of Probate, Tiverton, November 3d, 1823.

AN Instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Ephraim Sanford, late of Tiverton, deceased, is presented to this Court for Probate.—*Ordered*, That the consideration of said Instrument be referred to the first Monday in December next, at 1 o'clock P. M. and that three successive weeks previous notice be given in one of the Newport papers, by publishing this order to all persons interested, to appear at that time if they shall see fit, and be heard.

By order of said Court,

THOMAS DURFEE, *Clerk*

NOTICE.

THE Members of the *Auxiliary Tract Society of Newport*, are informed, that the remainder of Tracts due for the Year have arrived, are parcelled out into equal divisions, and are ready at Deacon *Samuel Vinson's* for distribution

JERUSHA AUSTIN, *Agent.*

Newport, Nov. 18.

New Goods.

JOHN F. TOWNSEND,

Has just received from Boston,

SUPERFINE blue and black Broadcloths
Olive brown and mixed ditto
Blue, black and fashionable mix'd milled Cassimere
Pelisse Cloths, a great variety
Fine drab and brown Coatings
Superior Scotch Plaids for Men's Cloaks
Flannels, Bockings
Blankets of all sizes
White double fold milled Flannels
Caroline Plaids
Figured and plain Bombazet's
Calicoes of new patterns
Long Shawls
Merino Handkfs.
Superior wide black Bombasin
Fine black worsted ditto
Good English cotton Shirting
Irish Linens
Shell Combs
Diapers—Ribbons

With a great variety of Goods suited to the Season.

ALSO

One case superior LEGHORNS

The above Goods were bought low and will be sold good bargains to the purchaser.

Newport, Oct. 25.

Cheap Blue Broadcloths

ROBERT P. LEE

Has Just Received,

A FEW Pieces of BLUE CLOTHS suitable for Overcoats, which he is selling off very Cheap, together with a great variety of other New and Seasonable Goods.

ALSO,

Just received from one of the first Factories in the State, a full supply of superior White and Coloured KNITTING COTTON, 2 and 3-threaded from No 6 to 40.

Newport, Nov. 1.

MORE New Goods.

JOHN B. NEWTON,

Has Just Received,

400 Yards Sattinets;

1000 Yards unbleached Shirtings, full yard wide, at 1s per yard; 1000 do. Shirtings, bleached and unbleached, for 12 1-2 cents; 60 Pieces of Russia Diaper, of an excellent quality, at 3 dollars a piece; 40 Pieces of dark Prints, for the season; black and colored twilled and plain Bombazetts; red, white, yellow, black and green Flannels; blue Pelise Cloths; a very large Assortment of Broadcloths and Cassimeres.

Newport, Oct. 25.

Etna Insurance Company

Incorporated for the purpose of Insuring against LOSS or DAMAGE by FIRE, with a Capital of $150,000 and the liberty of increasing the same to the sum of $500,000.

THE Company having recently increased their Capital $90,000 to now 200,000 Dollars, with a further surplus fund of 80,000 dollars, appropriated exclusively for the purpose of payment of losses. The whole of the funds of the Company are in the most secure and best possible situation and may, within a few days notice, be converted into ready cash. The proposals for Insurance of this Company are believed to be as favorable as the nature of the business will admit. It is also thought worthy of consideration that the business of the Company is confined principally to risks in the country and therefore necessarily so situated as to be detached, that the capital is not exposed to a great loss by a sweeping fire.

Hartford, (Con.) Sept. 2.

☞ Application for Insurance may be made in Providence, to Stephen Tillinghast, who is authorised to issue Policies without the delay attendant on a reference to the Company at Hartford.

Oct. 22, 1823.

Foreign News.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 17.

Latest from Europe.

THE Ship Minerva, which arrived yesterday from Liverpool, brings London papers to the 19th Oct. which add but little to our previous information. We have copied the few articles deserving of notice, and among others, a Proclamation of amnesty, &c. of the King of Spain, dated, however, some days prior to his decree, forbidding any deputy of the Cortes, or other person directly implicated in the revolution, from approaching within 15 miles of the Capital.

Nothing decisive respecting the future destiny of the kingdom can be gathered from the various reports and conjectures in the foreign papers—It is said, that the French are to occupy Spain with 60,000 men; and it is said that various other events are to take place; but the only news that appears certain is, that the King has appointed a Confessor; and that Gen. Riego having been condemned to death, has, to protract his life, divulged important secrets implicating a number of individuals, among whom Ballasteros is said to be one. If he be, we trust he will reap the reward due to his treachery to his country.

The different towns of Spain were daily submitting to the orders of the King, and probably little else of opposition than can be made by the gallant Mina now exists in the kingdom.—Among other miscellaneous items, we find the following;

The London Courier of Oct. 18th, states officially, "That the British Government after mature deliberation, has resolved to send out Consular Agents to the Province of Spanish America which have, for so long a time, been *de facto* independent of the mother country.—This measure, to whatever political consequences it may ultimately lead, is in itself, merely directed to the protection of our commercial interests."

The Consular Agents were to be sent forthwith to Mexico, Vera Cruz, Acapulco, Santa Fee de Bogota, Laguira, Maracaybo, Carthagena, Panamo, Buenos Ayres, Monte Video, Valparaiso, Lima, with two Vice-Consuls at Valparaiso, and Lima.

A letter from Madrid of Oct 6th, says—"A very remarkable difference of opinion exists respecting the consequences that will be produced by the liberty of the King. At the first news of this event, the general cry was "*all is over*",—but judging the irritation of parties the confusion and anarchy that continues, some consider that "*all is not yet over*."

Lisbon papers of Oct 6th, received in London, speak of "the insolence of certain evil minded persons in Oporto, whose conduct has a tendency to disturb the happy tranquility which prevails in Portugal.

In Paris, it is asserted in the best informed circles, that a Treaty had already been concluded betwixt France and Spain by which it is agreed that the restoration of the Spanish American Colonies to legitimate authority, is to be attempted.

ADDRESS OF THE KING OF SPAIN.

Published in Cadiz, Sept 30, 1823.

"PROCLAMATION.

"Spaniards

"It being the first care of a King to promote the happiness of his subjects, and this being incompatible with the uncertainty which at present hangs on the future destiny of the nation, and of the individuals comprising it, I hasten to calm the anxieties and inquietude arising from an apprehension that despotism will be established, or that it will be governed by faction. Identified with the nation, I have with her run every hazard of the war to the last, but the imperative law of necessity compels a termination to it. Under the difficulty arising from these circumstances, my powerful voice alone can chase from the kingdom vengeance and persecution."

The preamble goes on to state Ferdinand's anxiety to dissipate the horrors which threatened Cadiz and to put an end to the disasters of war, with which view he had resolved to quit the city on the succeeding day, previously making known his sentiments in the following manner:—

"I declare from my own free and spontaneous will and promise, under the faith and security of my Royal word, that if it should be found necessary to make any alteration in the existing political institutions of the Monarchy, I will establish a government which will cause the complete felicity of the nation, guaranteeing the security of the persons, property and civil liberty of the Spanish people.

"2. In like manner, I promise, of my own free and spontaneous will, and have resolved to carry into effect, a general act of oblivion, complete and absolute, for all that is past, without any exception, hereby declaring, by so doing, tranquillity, confidence, and union, as necessary to the common good, may be established among the Spanish people, and which my paternal heart so earnestly yearns after.

"In like manner I promise, that whatever change may be made, the public debts and obligations contracted by the nation, and by government under the present system, shall be acknowledged.

"4. I also promise and assure, that all the Generals, chiefs, officers, sergeants, and corporals, of the army and navy, who have hitherto attached themselves to the existing system of government, in whatever part of the Peninsula, shall preserve their grades, employments, salaries, and honours; and, in like manner, all other military functionaries shall preserve theirs, and also those civilians and ecclesiastics who have followed the Government and the Cortes who depend on the existing system; and those who by reason of the reductions which may be made cannot preserve their employments, shall enjoy, at least, one-half the salaries which they now have.

"5. I declare and assure equally, that as well the Militia Volunteers of Madrid, of Seville, and of other places, who may now be in this island, as also whatever other Spaniards may have taken refuge in it, who are not by reason of their employments obliged to remain; may from this moment return to their homes, or transfer themselves to any part of the kingdom they may think proper, under the fullest security of not being molested at any time on account of their anterior political conduct or opinions; and the militia who may be in need of it, will obtain for their journey the same assistance as the individuals composing the Government army.—Spaniards of that class, and strangers who may wish to quit the kingdom, may do so with equal liberty, and will obtain the necessary passports for the country where it may suit them to go

"FERNANDO"

Cadiz, Sept. 30, 1823.

LONDON, October 18.

Captain Parry arrived this morning at the Admiralty, having landed at Whitby, whence his Majesty's ships Fury and Hecla, were continuing their way to the river Thames

The public regret that Captain Parry has not been able to accomplish the North West passage, will be amply compensated by the general pleasure which will be felt at the safe return of this gallant officer and his brave companions;

In 1821, the expedition explored Repulse Bay, Sir Thomas Roe's Welcome, Middleton's Frozen Strait, and that neighborhood, and finding no passage to the Northward and Westward, wintered in the southern bay of an Island, called winter Island, in lat. 66, 11, long. 83. In 1822, the expedition, guided and encouraged by the information they had received during the winter, from a party of Esquimaux, with whom they had established a friendly intercourse, pursued their attempt to the Northward and examined all inlets towards the West, till they arrived at a strait which separates the Northern Coast of America from what Captain Parry considers to be clusters of Islands extending Northward towards the scene of his former voyage.

The great object of ascertaining the Northern limits of the Continent being thus accomplished, Captain Parry penetrated two degrees to the Westward, with considerable expectation of final success; but in a narrow part of the strait, they found the ice fixed in that peculiar manner which indicates that it is *perpetual; and not seperated in any season, or under any circumstances*

The expedition was therefore obliged to winter in lat 69 20, long. 81 50. In the summer of this year, finding the ice still fixed to the shores, in such a manner as precluded all hope of any further progress in the neighbourhood in which he was, Captain Parry thought it advisable to give up the attempt and return to England. The expedition has lost by illness, only Mr. Fyffe, the Greenland Master, and three seamen, and one man killed by an accident.

SMYRNA, Sept. 1.

"The Greeks lately presented Corinth from being reprovisioned. Three Turkish vessels of war with three merchant vessels loaded with provisions, made the coast of Corinth. The citadel then immediately hoisted the Ottoman flag, and fired two guns; the Pacha, who commands in it, sent officers to the Turkish Commanders to beg of them to land the provisions they had on board, and 150 horsemen immediately went down to protect the transport of them from the shore to the citadel. Some Greeks who were lying in ambush took to flight; but immediately afterwards a corps of 2000 Greeks appeared from behind the mountain, and advanced rapidly. The 150 horsemen, abandoning every thing before such a superior force, re-entered the citadel in great haste. The Turks who had landed had only time to reimbark, leaving all the provisions on the beach in the power of the Greeks.

"The general government of Greece having appointed an Ipsariot *Epargue* of Samos and he not being able, on account of indisposition, to repair to his post, the Ipsariots arbitrarily sent the famous Captain of the fire ships to Samos in his place, and the Captain presented himself to the Samians accompanied by two of his comrades.—The Samians, however sent him away, saying they wanted nobody; that they were able without the assistance of the Ipsariots, and without the assistance of European Greeces, to defend themselves from the attacks of the Turks—that they wished to be independent, and would not acknowledge any superior authority. The Epargue was therefore obliged to return to Ipsara, where he communicated to the Senate the Resolution of the proud Samanians; and it was resolved to blockade them in their island till orders are received from the Supreme Government.

BY THE MAILS.

LOUISIANA.

NEW-ORLEANS, OCT. 23,

Columbian Cruiser.

WE have received by the schr. Eliza, the letter inserted below, from our correspondent at Tampico. We have conversed with a passenger who communicates the following additional particulars as obtained from Capt. Brotherton himself; the Vencedore had captured four vessels, all Spanish, with valuable cargoes, bound from Havana to Mexico, viz: the Vera Cruzade, the Juanhita, the Secundo Gallego, and one not remembered. The first of these had been armed and fitted out as an additional cruiser. The Vencedor was waiting the arrival of the Marinero, which was to sail from Havana for Tampico, with a rich cargo, intending also to capture her.

TAMPICO, 26th Sept. 1823.

To the Editor of Louisiana Advertiser.

Sir—Within a few days past, there has been a Colombian gun brig, called the Vencedor, commanded by Capt. W. Brotherton, who has captured two Spanish schooners, with valuable cargoes, from Havana bound to this port — their crews and passengers were landed here two days since. The brig is said to be of the first class, mounting 18 guns and sails remarkably fast.—Several vessels that have arrived here under the American and Mexican flags, have been boarded by her, and treated with much politeness

COLUMBIA

WASHINGTON CITY, NOV. 13.

The Arickaree War.

There has appeared, in the St. Louis papers, a long letter from Joshua Pilcher, the "Acting Partner of the Missouri Fur Company," addressed to Major B O'Fallon, U. States, Agent for Indian Affairs, full of injurious insinuations and bitter reproaches against Col. Leavenworth, who commanded the late Expedition against the Arickaree Indians, Mr. Pilcher, it appears, was attached to the Expedition as a special Agent, appointed by Major O'Fallon.—The import of Mr Pilcher's statement is, that Col L. did not accomplish the object of the Expedition; that enough of Indian blood was not shed; and that peace was granted them before they were thoroughly convinced. Having read it over with some attention; we see no reason to dissent from the view which is taken of this statement in reviewing it, by the Cincinnati "Liberty Hall."

"When speaking of the Indians, Mr. Pilcher's exasperation seems carried to the highest pitch. Nothing short of extermination will satisfy him. That the whites have entered their forests and commenced depredations upon their game, never seems to have occurred to him as the least ground of retaliation on their part. He looks upon them as brutes whom it is lawful to destroy from the face of the earth. So far as we can learn from his letters, Colonel Leavenworth's mild treatment of these unhappy sons of the woods is the cause of all Mr. Pilcher's resentment."—*Nat. Int.*

MARYLAND

BALTIMORE, NOV 15

From Porto Cabello.

By the arrival in this port of the Colombian brig of war Eagle, from La Guayra, we learn that early in October the besieging army under General Paez with General Bermudez, second in command, had made considerable progress in the attack upon Porto Cabello.

The town and all the approaches had been taken. The Spanish garrison had been forced to retire to the fortress in the Island, upon which a battery of 24 guns and two thirteen inch mortars played almost incessantly.

On the 5th October, a division of 2000 men, under the command of Col Lysier marched from Carracas to reinforce the besieging army, and Capt. Cotteral, of the Eagle, speaks of these troops in terms of the highest admiration as to their appearance and discipline.

Two sloops of war already blockaded the harbour of Porto Cabello, and a naval expedition, to attack the place by sea, was fitting out at La Guayra and Cumana.—The ship which had arrived from Holland is to lead in the expedition—she is a fine ship, one of those built by Napoleon, and carries sixty guns.

NEW-YORK,

NEW-YORK, NOV. 18.

Arrival through the Western Canal.

The schooner Mary & Hannah, Captain Osborn, arrived yesterday, from Hector, being the first vessel that has arrived through the Western Canal. She draws three feet of water, and has on board a cargo of 35 tons, consisting of Wheat and Butter, of excellent quality.

The town of Hector is at the head of Seneca Lake, about 70 miles from the Canal, to which the communication is made through two locks. Captain Osborn states that the voyage to Albany (a distance of about 270 miles) could be made in about twelve days, and thence to this city in about two days; and that the whole expense of transportation to this market does not exceed ten dollars per ton. Before the opening of the Canal, the price of transporting wheat from the head of Seneca Lake, to Utica (then the nearest market) was nearly a dollar a bushel, or more than 20 dollars a ton. These facts will shew the wonderful benefits of the Canal to the immense sections of fertile country with which it has opened a communication.

Merchandise is now conveyed from this city to Burlington, Vermont, through the Northern Canal, at eight dollars per ton.

MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, NOV. 19.

Treaties with Spain.

Messrs. Dawkins and Cox are appointed Commissioners on the part of Great Britain to adjust with Spanish Commissioners, the British and Spanish claims arising under the Convention concluded at Madrid, March 12, 1823. This treaty was concluded under the Constitutional regime of Spain, and the recent appointment of Commissioners by England to carry it into execution, shows that the British Government did not anticipate the abrogation of the treaty in any issue of the affairs of Spain. The treaty between the United States and Spain for the cession of the Floridas, was made in 1821, and under the same authority as the British, and if one is annulled the other must be also The King unquestionably has power to renew them, or to declare them exceptions to the general rule; and the Ministers of both nations will unquestionably require him so to do, if necessary. Mr. Nelson, our Minister, was at Minorca at the last date and it is expected, on hearing the restoration of the King, will be landed at Valencia, or some adjacent port, and proceed direct to Madrid, and be there about the time of the King's arrival in his capital.—*Boston Cent.*

South-American States.

A file of the Colombiano, the official gazette of the Colombian Republic, to the 1st October, have been received in New York They contain a number of laws enacted by the Congress at Bogota One of these extends the provisions of a former law granting certain privileges to European vessels, and cargoes coming from the ports of the United States either in foreign or national vessels—Another act authorizes the loan of thirty millions of dollars, and pledging the revenue for its repayment; and a third granting a pension of 30,000 dollars a year to President Bolivar for life

A letter from Buenos Ayres, received in New-York, utters croaking complaints at the delay of the United States in sending out a Minister to the new Republic; and insinuates the probability that Mr. Rodney was ordered to take Cadiz in in his way to his destination, to receive *instruction!*

Boston Centinel.

Distressing Fires.

On Wednesday morning last, the large tavern of Mr. Jackson, in Belfast, Maine, was consumed by fire, and sad to relate, his amiable daughter, aged 16 years; perished in the flames. The fire communicated to the dwelling house of George Watson, Esq. formerly of this city, to the stores of John Angier, Esq and Mr. S. B Morrill, and five or six barns, all of which, with a part of their contents, were destroyed, notwithstanding the spirited exertions of the citizens to save them.

The Carding, Fulling, and Dying Factory of Captain Goodwin of Bangor, Maine, with all the machinery, was destroyed by fire the 27th ultimo Loss estimated at 9,500 dollars.—*Centinel*

The drying shop of Messrs. John Carr and Benjamin Hunt, at Pawtuxet, was discovered to be on fire on the 10th inst. but by the spirited exertions of the inhabitants the fire was extinguished before much damage had been done.

Syria—Great damage has been done in Syria, by repeated shocks of earthquakes—and in consequence of violent rains during more than a month, last summer, the Orontes overflowed, its banks, and swept away men, cattle, houses, &c. Upwards of one thousand persons have perished. At the close of June, the plague broke out at Beiut.

Another Quaker poet, says a foreign magazine, has appeared in England, whose themes, unlike those of Bernard Barton, are those of love and chivalrous deeds. His name is Wiffen, he is Secretary to the Duke of Bedford, and the productions of his muse are spoken of in terms of admiration,

THE MERCURY.

Newport,

Saturday, Nov. 22, 1823.

FOREIGN NEWS.

By the ship Minerva, arrived at New-York in 24 days from Liverpool, London papers to the 19th Oct. have been received, from which we have extracted an Address of the King of Spain to the Nation, published at Cadiz on the 30th Sept. the day before he left that city. If any reliance is to be placed on the assurances given in this document, after Ferdinand has so often falsified his "royal word," the Constitutionalists of Spain have nothing to apprehend from the sanguinary dispositions of the men composing the late Regency.

The Duke d'Angouleme does not appear to have entered Cadiz. The French head-quarters were at Xeres, and the Royal Duke was expected at Paris in December.

The Paris papers announce the death of Godoy, Prince of Peace, who had bequeathed to King Ferdinand his property, amounting to one million and a half sterling.

From the accounts it is evident, that all is not quiet in Portugal.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The Circuit Court of the U. S. which commenced its Nov. term at Providence on Saturday, adjourned on Wednesday, at noon.

On Saturday, Judge Story was complimented by the Bar of Rhode-Island, with a dinner at Horton's Hotel, in Providence. Hon. Wm. Hunter presided, assisted by Gen. Bridgham, as Vice-President.

MR. CRAWFORD.

The National Intelligencer of Saturday last, says—"Mr. Secretary Crawford arrived in this city yesterday from Virginia, and, we understand, having nearly recovered his health, will to-day resume the discharge of the duties of his office."

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

The Board of Commissioners for adjusting the Claims under the Florida Treaty, are now in session at Washington—All the members of the Board are present.

COM. PORTER'S SQUADRON.

The sloops of war John Adams, and Peacock, and store-ship Decoy, have arrived at Washington, from Norfolk. The Hornet from New-York, and all the other vessels of the squadron, are ordered to Washington to equip—Com Porter and his family, will embark in the John Adams.

Com. Porter, by a circular, requests all the officers of his squadron to report themselves to him at Washington, on or before the 30th inst.

PIRATES.

It appears that the Pirates have again commenced their depredations in the West-Indies. Capt. Haskell, arrived at New-York on Tuesday, was boarded in sight of St. Thomas by a boat's crew, and robbed of a quantity of specie.

The first number of a new paper entitled the "*National Journal*," has just been published at Washington.—It is expected to support the claims of Mr. Adams for the Presidency. In that event, all the candidates, with the exception of Gen. Jackson, will have a newspaper at the seat of government, enlisted in their behalf.

The President of the United States returned to Washington on the 5th inst. for the winter. All the Secretaries and other principal officers of the government, are now at their posts.

"*Turn to the Right.*"—In the Legislature of Vermont, on the 5th inst. while a motion to *reject* the bill, requiring that travellers meeting each other should turn to the right from the centre of the road, so as to pass safely, and imposing a penalty of twelve dollars for every offence against the law Mr. Keyes, late a member of Congress rose, and having spoken twice on the subject, the House granted him leave to speak again. He then delivered the following sensible speech,—"Mr Speaker, I'm not agoing to make much of a speech, I'm in favour of the bill—I want all the people to *turn to the right*—we've been to the *left* long enough."

The Post-Master General has recently made contracts for carrying the mails, by which he makes an annual saving to the United States of seventy thousand dollars.

"THE FREE PRESS."

The first number of a weekly paper, called "*The Free Press*," was published at Taunton, (Mass.) on the 14th inst.; edited by Pliny Merrick, and Theophilus Parsons, Esq'rs.—In their introductory remarks, they say:—

"We have been called the advocates of Mr. Crawford, for the high office of President of the United States; and it has been said that to promote his election, we are offering ourselves as partizans to the community. This is an error which we desire to correct. We are willing that all should avail themselves of our pages to expose error, or to communicate their feelings, and opinions to the public; but when we believe these feelings and opinions contrary to reason and truth, we shall do what we can to correct them. If this course will have a tendency to promote the advancement of any one of our fellow citizens, we are so far, and so farther his partizans."

With a view to correct an erroneous statement, to which some consequence seemed to be attached, a friend of Mr. Secretary Adams has contradicted in the National Intelligencer the report that Mr. A. had received an invitation from Mr. Jefferson to visit him.

ANOTHER CANAL.

A Convention of upwards of one hundred Delegates, from the States of Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia, has recently been held at the City of Washington, to devise means to connect the Potomac with the western waters. Measures were adopted, having in view to cut a Canal from the head of steam-boat navigation on the Ohio river to the City of Washington. It is to be called the "Chesapeake and Ohio Canal."

A duel has been fought near Washington, between Lieuts. Legare and Tilden, of the Navy, and the latter severely wounded, the ball having fractured one leg and lodged in the other—from which, however, it has been extracted.

FROM HAVANA.

Accounts from Havana, received at Charleston to the 1st inst. state, that an embargo was laid on all vessels bound westward, in consequence of a fleet with provisions and troops, being about to sail for Vera Cruz.

FROM GIBRALTAR.

Accounts from Gibraltar to the 7th of October state, that about thirty members of the late Spanish Cortes had arrived there from Cadiz.

Upwards of eleven hundred dollars were received for tolls upon the Canal, in one day, last week, at Albany.

A case of seduction, of an aggravated nature, has been tried at Milton, North-Carolina. The Plaintiff recovered four hundred dollers damages.

A case of slander was recently tried in Harrison county, Virginia. The fair plaintiff recovered five thousand dollars damages.

Gen. Jackson.

At a large Public Meeting, recently held in Philadelphia, General Jackson was unanimously nominated as a candidate for the office of President of the United States.

In an Illinois paper of the 16th ultimo a duel is said to have been lately fought at Belle Fontaine, between Captain Mason and Lieutenant Day, of the Army. The report says that they fought with muskets, loaded with a ball and three buck-shot, at the distance of fifteen paces, and that neither of the parties sustained any injury.

Steam Galliot.

Public expectation has been measurably disappointed in the anticipation that were formed of the utility of a steam vessel attached to our anti piratical squadron. The SEA GULL is not spoken of in the organization of the present force; hence we infer, that she was from some cause or other not made public unfit for the service.—*Wash Gaz.*

FRAUD.

Money to the amount of eight thousand dollars has been drawn out of the Branch Bank of Pennsylvania, at Lancaster, by means of *forged* checks.

A gentlemen and lady, who left Liverpool (Eng) on the 8th of September, have just arrived at Burlington (Ver.) having performed the whole distance of their journey by means of a *water communication.*

SUICIDE.

The wife of Capt. Ballard, of N. Carolina, of 35 years of age, and happily situated, lately took a loaded gun to the door, shot off the contents into her head, and expired immediately. She had been severely ill, and was considered as partially deranged.

Perkins' Steam Engine.

A bill has passed the Legislature of New-Jersey to extend a Steam Mill charter, with a view that the company may avail themselves of the late improvement of Mr. Perkins in the steam engine.

A letter has recently been published, said to have been written in London, containing the following remarks:—"Mr. P. is still in London engaged with his new steam idea.—They think here it will not answer.—Perkins, however, I understand, still entertains *hopes*."—We have just conversed with a gentleman very recently from England who is intimately acquainted with, and frequently visited Mr. P. who assures us, that he has perfect confidence in the success of his improvement; and has received a note from the most scientific man in the kingdom who has carefully examined it, expressive of his approbation of the principle, and confidence of its success in saving of fuel. Our informant was assured that Mr. P. had already contracted with a person for the use of his engine, when completed, for a branch of the Ganges, for 20,000*l* sterling. The amount of the saving of fuel had not been ascertained, but the most incredulous were satisfied that it would exceed one half, while others believed it would be three quarters. Mr. P. was very happy and well satisfied with his prospects, and the attentions which had been paid him by all the science and rank of the kingdom.

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Crimes.

At the last Circuit Court, held at Ogdensburg (N. Y.) William Kirby was sentenced to be hung on the 6th instant. We learn from the Ogdensburg Gazette, that the Governour has suspended the execution until Friday the 2d of April. Kirby, it will be recollected, was tried, and found guilty, on his own confession, of drowning his two children in the River St. Lawrence.

INSTALLATION.

On WEDNESDAY Next, the 26th inst the Rev. WILLIAM GAMMELL, A. M. will be installed Pastor of the 2d Baptist Church and Society, in this town. The Rev. Council will probably meet at an early hour, and the public services commence at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Meeting-House

We congratulate the friends of this ancient christian community, that so short a time has elapsed since the removal of their late Pastor, Rev. Mr. ELTON, before they have been successful in their call of the Rev. Mr. GAMMELL, whose settlement among them, we hope will prove a permanent and useful blessing to them, and the religious public.

ORDINATION.

At a special Ordination held at St. John's Church in Providence, on Tuesday last, the Rt. Rev. Bishop Griswold admitted Mr. George Griswold, to the holy order of Deacons; and the Rev Charles Henry Alden, to that of Priests.

MARRIED,

At Middletown on Thursday evening last, by the Rev Mr. Gammell, Mr CHARLES BARBER to Miss SARAH I. PECKHAM.

At Providence, Mr ALVAH ALDRICH to Miss KEZIAH BALLOU.

DIED,

In this town on Wednesday evening last, Mrs PRISCILLA STODDARD, aged 41 years, widow of Mr. Henry Stoddard, of Middletown.

At Prudence Island, on Wednesday last, after a long and distressing illness, DANIEL CHASE, Esq aged 65 years—for many years a Representative from Portsmouth in the General Assembly of this State.

At Boston, Mrs. MARY G. COOK, widow of Mr. Russell Cook, of Tiverton, (R. I.)

At Providence on Saturday, Mrs HANNAH SNOW, aged 91 years—On Sunday, Mr LEWIS ORMSBEE, aged 32 years—On Tuesday, Mr. GEORGE W. PAGE aged 51 years.

At Attleborough, Widow PHEBE GUILD, aged 98 years.

At Smithfield, Mr. JOHN MOWRY, aged 80 years.

At Pawtuxet, ANTHONY ARNOLD, Esq. aged 88 years.

At Northbridge, Widow ABIGAIL S. DYER, in the 50th year of her age.

Near Marietta, Gen. RUFUS PUTNAM, aged 90 years.

WEEKLY ALMANACK.

1823. November.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	High water.	Moon rises.
22 Saturday,	7 17	4 43	morn.	9 21
23 Sunday,	7 18	4 42	0 15	10 34
24 Monday,	7 19	4 41	1 7	11 47
25 Tuesday,	7 20	4 40	1 56	morn.
26 Wednesday,	7 20	4 40	2 43	0 58
27 Thursday,	7 21	4 39	3 29	2 6
28 Friday,	7 22	4 38	4 16	3 15

Moon's Last Quarter 24th day, 10h. 45 min. in the Afternoon.

MARINE LIST.

Port of Newport,

Nov. 22, 1823.

ENTERED.

Ship Robinson Potter, Waite, Liverpool
Israel, Ives, Stockholm

CLEARED,

Ship Newport, Borroughs, Campeachy
Brig Baltic, Eldred, Havana
Sloop St. Mary's, Nye, St. Mary's
Albany, Vare, Albany
George & Mary, Waite, New-York

Friday, Nov. 14.

Arrived, Ship Robinson Potter, Waite, 36 days from Liverpool with crates, salt, &c. to *R. Pitcher*, and others.—Spoke in lat. 45, long. 36, Brig Ann, 11 days from Philadelphia for Bourdeaux.

Saturday, Nov. 15.

Arrived, Brig Balance, Bennett, 32 days from Gottenburg, with iron, bound to Bristol.—Yesterday, 65 miles southeast of Block-Island, fell in with the schooner John & Mary, of Warren, with both masts gone, and laying along-side, hatches down, dead-lights in, and cables on deck, but no boat; hailed her, but no one appeared to be on board.

Sunday, Nov 16.

Arrived, Brig Decatur, Hinds, 42 days from St. Ubes, with salt, bound to Providence.

Tuesday, Nov 18.

Arrived, Schooner Susannah, 35 days from Port Antonio, (Jamaica) with rum, bound to Bath, put in on account of head-winds.—Left no American vessels there.

Wednesday Nov. 19.

Arrived, Ship Israel, Ives, of Boston, 40 days from Elsineur, with 580 tons of iron—to discharge at this port.

Sailed from this port on Sunday morning last, new Ship George Champlin, Winslow, for New-Orleans; ship Courier, Hudson, for Savannah (passengers Mr. M'Isaacs, merchant, and family;) brig John, Norris, for Wilmington; and upwards of 20 sail of schooners and sloops for Southern ports.

MARINE MEMORANDA.

Arrived at Edgarton, Ships Planter, Coffin, and Ontario, Bunker, from the Pacific Ocean, full of oil, bound to Nantucket.

Arrived at Charleston Nov. 7th, Brig Panther, Cornell, 6 days from this port—10th, sloops William, Read, and Express, Hammett, from Savannah.—Rapid, Swasey, from St. Augustine.—Sailed sloop Herald, Heath, Savannah.

Arrived at Georgetown Nov. 4th, sch'rs Washington Packet, Shove, 10 days from New-York—Franklin, Gibbs, 7 days from this port.

At New-Orleans Oct. 22d, Brig Union, Gale, of this port, advertised for Havana.

Off Bermuda Nov. 1st, brig Clarissa, Church, from Bristol bound to Martinique.

SCHOOL-BOOKS.

Wm. & J. H. BARBER,
Have for Sale,
School-Books,
Of all kinds in use in this Town and Vicinity,
ALSO.
ALMANACKS for
1824,

☞ BLANKS of all kinds, handsomely printed on good paper, for Sale as above.

Newport Nov. 22.

NOTICE.

A MEETING of the *Auxiliary Marine Bible Society* will be held on MONDAY Evening Next, at the Fourth Baptist Meeting-House.

GEORGE MUMFORD, *Sec'ry.*
Newport, Nov. 22,

LADIES MAGAZINE.

THE 3d Number of the LADIES MAGAZINE is now ready for distribution, and may be had at the Book-Store of Messrs. *Wm. & J. H. Barber*, at Mr. *Samuel W. Vinson's*, and at the office of *B. B. Mumford*, Esq.—At each of these places subscription papers are opened,—Subscribers will please call or send for their Magazines, to Deacon Samuel Vinson's, Church-street.

Newport, Nov. 21

TO LET,

THE HOUSE next north of Mr. *Samuel Vernon's*, in Clarke-street—For terms, &c. apply to

SAMUEL VINSON.

Newport, Nov. 21.

French Spoliations;

ALL persons interested in the claim to indemnity, for Spoliations committed on their property by the public and private armed vessels of France, between and during the years 1793 and 1900, (including French captures which have been rejected by the Commissioners under the Florida Treaty,) are requested to call at the Office of the *Marine Insurance Company*, and become signers to a Memorial addressed to the Congress of the United States on that subject.

It is indispensably requisite that the Memorial be completed forthwith; claimants are therefore requested to give their immediate attention.

Newport, Nov. 15.

SCHOOL-BOOKS.

WEBSTER'S, Alden's and Cummings Spelling-Books; English Reader, Columbian Orator; Murray's Grammar; Walkers Dictionary; Cummings and Morse's Geography and Atlas; Dabolls Arithmetic; Testaments, and every other kind of School-Books usually wanted, by the dozen or single, at very low prices.

ALSO. Blank Account and Record Books—Bowditch's Navigator & Blunts Coast Pilot—Writing and Letter Paper—Watts and Methodist Hymn Books—Church Prayer Books—Bridgewater Collection, 12th edition.

ALMANACKS.

Bickerstaffs Rhode-Island, Farmers' and Christian Almanacks, for 1824, by the Groce, Dozen or Single.

PAPER-HANGINGS.

One Thousand Rolls *Paper-Hangings*, for Rooms and Window Curtains, with Borders—Two Hundred Rolls *low priced Papers*, at about 25 Cents per Roll.

HATS,

Elegant and Fashionable New-York HATS, and the Boston Hat Factory Hats, *warranted Water Proof, and not to fade in wearing.*—Also Mens and Youths water-proof Cotton and Felt HATS.

Just Received and for Sale at the Book and Hat Store, (and at the lowest possible prices) by

GEORGE WANTON,
Agent to Ezra Hathaway.

☞ Second-hand Books bought and sold as above.

Newport, Nov. 22.

FOR SALE,

THE Sloop SALLY burthen about 47 Tons, now laying at the Long-Wharf; she is of an easy draft of water, 4 years old, is in good order, very burthensome, and may be sent to sea at a small expence.—For further particulars and terms, apply to

J. WILLIAMS & SON,
Long-Wharf.

Who have for Sale, just landed from said Sloop,

1400 Bushels Coarse SALT, of a good quality.

Newport, Nov. 22.

For Freight or Charter,
To any Port in North-Carolina over Ocracocke,

THE fast-sailing Schooner SALLY DAVIS, burthen 50 Tons—can also accommodate 2 or 3 Passengers—Apply to Capt. *Sylvester Chace* on board at Stevens' Wharf, or to

ROBERT STEVENS, jun.

Newport, Nov. 22.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber having been appointed by the Court of Common Pleas for the county of Newport, at the Nov. term, 1823, Assignee of the estate and effects of GOULD MARSH, of Newport, mariner, now petitioning for the benefit of an act for the relief of insolvent debtors, gives notice to the creditors to exhibit and prove their claims against the estate of said *Marsh*, within six months from the date hereof, agreeably to law.

NICHOLAS G. BOSS, *Assignee.*
Newport, Nov. 6.

NOTICE.

Court of Probate, Newport, Nov. 3, 1823

WHEREAS ANN AUSTIN, Administratrix on the Estate of *Daniel Austin*, late of Newport, deceased, has presented her Administration Account for allowance, and the consideration thereof referred to the first Monday in December next.—Notice is hereby given to all persons interested therein, to appear if they see fit, at a Court of Probate to be holden at the State-House in Newport, on said first Monday in Dec next, at 9 o'clock A. M. to shew cause if any they have, why said Account should not be allowed.

By order of said Court,
CHARLES GYLES, *Probate Clerk.*

Auctions.

THIS EVENING,
At 6 o'clock, at Dean's Auction Room,

WILL re-commence the Sale of the most splendid collection of BOOKS, &c. every offered for Sale in Newport, comprising upwards of 3000 Volumes.

J. C. SHAW, *Auc'r.*
Newport, Nov. 22.

On FRIDAY, Nov. 28th,
At 3 o'clock P. M. will be sold at Auction, at Somerset,

THE Brig NEW PACKET, burthen 130 Tons—*ALSO*, The Hull of a Vessel, burthen about 275 Tons.—Conditions at the Sale.

Somerset, Nov. 20.

WARRANTED LADIES BOOTS.

Burdick & Hutchins,
No. 124, Thames-Street, under the Custom-House,

ARE now selling Warranted LADIES BOOTS, at 50 Cents less on a pair, than they have heretofore been sold at their Old Cheap Stand.

Newport, Nov. 21.

MILLINARY.

Avis C. Tillinghast,
Informs her Friends, and the Inhabitants of Newport,

THAT she attends to BONNET MAKING in all its variety, at No. 8, Church-street, where she will be happy to wait on her old friends and the public in general.

Newport, Nov 18.

NOTICE.

Court of Probate, Newport, Nov. 3 1823

WHEREAS application has this day been made for Administration on the Estate of BENJAMIN COMSTOCK, late of Newport, mariner, deceased, and the consideration thereof referred to the first Monday in December next—Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in said Estate, to appear if they see fit, at a Court of Probate to be holden at the State-House in Newport on said first Monday in December next, at 9 o'clock A. M. and they shall be heard respecting the same.

By order of said Court.
CHARLES GYLES, *Probate Clerk*

NOTICE.

Court of Probate, Newport, Nov 3 1823

WHEREAS JOHN RODMAN, Administrator on the estate of *Nathaniel Richmond*, late of Newport, deceased, has this day presented his final Administration Account for allowance, and the consideration thereof referred to the first Monday in Dec. next—Notice is hereby given to all persons interested therein, to appear if they see fit, at a Court of Probate to be holden at the State-House in said Newport, on said first Monday of December next, at 9 o'clock A. M. to shew cause if any they have, why said account should not be allowed.

By order of said Court,
CHARLES GYLES, *Probate Clerk.*

Atheneum,
Or, Spirit of the English Magazines

JUST published, The ATHENEUM; *Or, Spirit of the English Magazines*, for Nov. 15, 1823

☞ Subscriptions for the above interesting Work, are received by the subscriber, the Agent in Newport.

J. C. SHAW.
Nov. 21, 1823.

VALUABLE FARM.

FOR SALE,

A FARM lying in Woodstock, (Con.) containing Two Hundred Acres of excellent Land with a new two-story Dwelling-House 30 by 40 feet completely finished and painted; another Dwelling-House suitable for a tenant; two new barns and other out buildings; a cider mill and a good orchard that will make 100 bbls of Cider annuall.—It is well wooded and watered and will keep 50 head of cattle the year round; it is within fifty rods of a saw and grist mill and clothiers works, and conveniently situated near a Meeting and school-house.—Terms of payment made easy to the purchaser. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber living on the premises.

HENRY HOWARD.
Woodstock, (Con.) Oct. 26.

POETRY.

FROM THE LONDON LITERARY GAZETTE

'TIS all too true; that faded cheek,
That sunken eye,
Those accents tremulous and weak,
That tear, that sigh;
With idle hope I've watch'd thy brow
From day to day;
'Tis vain; a little while, and thou
Wilt pass away!

Nay, dear one! cease that soothing look,
That soothing tone,
Thou dost not think that I could brook
To be alone.
Thou wilt not say that I could bear,
On this dear spot,
To seek thy footstep every where,
And find it not!

The sun will shine as bright above
In other days;
The moon we used to watch and love,
Still win my gaze;
The flowers that shar'd our gentlest care
May still bloom on,
Our bird pour forth its song; but where
Wilt thou be gone?

Mine eyes must close; where can they seek
For aught so dear?
My lips be mute; why *should* I speak?
Thou wilt not hear!
So, dearest! cease that soothing look,
That soothing tone;
Thou dost not think that I could brook
To be alone!

TO-MORROW.

BY SELLECK OSBORN.

DELUSIVE shade of future joys,
Whose fancied bliss the soul destroys,
Then mocks our pain and sorrow;
Though oft deceiv'd, the sanguine mind
Still forward looks, and hopes to find
More real bliss to-morrow.

Ask the fond infant how or why
Refrains from tears his mournful eye—
No sighs his bosom harrow;
When by his side his parent lies
In death—the innocent replies
"She'll wake again to-morrow."

You smile—but pause—your thought recall;
Vain hopes make children of us all;
Here wisdom's bounds are narrow;
More vain than childhood's puerile schemes,
Are half mankind's deceptious dreams,
Of happiness to-morrow.

The miser, buried 'midst his ore,
Though warn'd by age to crave no more
Though years his visage furrow—
Still mocks the pleadings of distress,
And cries with raptures, "I'll possess
A million clear to-morrow."

Hold! selfish wretch! the hand of death,
May even now arrest thy breath,
And whelm thy soul in horror—
Ere morn thy form may lie as cold—
As senseless as thy darling gold;
Who'll count thy wealth to-morrow?

Young Damon smil'd when o'er the tide
His fond his native land he spy'd,
He bade adieu to sorrow—
"I see," he cried, "my long lost home
My Laura dwells beneath yon dome—
I'll meet her arms to-morrow."

But ere night veils the wat'ry world,
by boist'rous winds his barge is hurl'd,
Death frowns with ghastly horror—
O'erwhelmed beneath the rolling deep,
He "sinks to everlasting sleep,"
And breathes no more to-morrow.

The prodigal devoid of fear,
To-day pursues his wild career,
And time and cash will borrow;
"All this," he cries, "I'll soon repay—
I will reform some future day"—
A jail's his lot to-morrow.

"To-day," cries Tom, "O! how it grieves
My soul to pore o'er musty leaves,
And my poor brain thus harrow—
'Tis but a day—then Pleasure come,
Through thy enchanting paths I'll roam
And study more to-morrow."

Mistaken youth, improve to day,
Nor throw the precious hours away—
Neglect engenders sorrow;
Youth fades as rainbows mock the view,
The spring of life soon bids adieu;
Old age is but to-morrow.

In human life, through every stage,
From infancy to tott'ring age,
To-day is found too narrow;
For man's pursuit some wider field
Is sought, and virtue's cause must yield
Each day, until to-morrow.

Thus wrote ACASTO—night now shed
Her influence o'er his drowsy head;
Sleep called him to his burrow;
The God of Indolence was near;
And whisper'd slily in his ear,
"Come—write the rest to-morrow."

MISCELLANY.

THANKSGIVING.

LIFE is the subject of thankfulness, even when unaccompanied by reason. The shining stars—the carolling birds—the fragrant plants—the breathing zephyrs—the deer bounding through the forest—the fish revelling in the sea—the squirrel on the pine top—and the cattle reposing under the shadow of the oak—these speak the happiness and the gratitude of nature. Yet may we not presume that there is, from their structure and their limited facilities, something of selfishness in the sensibilities of these. For reason is the source of benevolence, and we are happy only as we sympathise with others.

Life adorned by reason, is the subject of thankfulness, as it enlarges our means of happiness, and identifies us, if we please, with all that is beautiful and all that is happy around us.

But reason is the means of happiness only as it is the means of truth—for the truth stands at the portals of all that is valuable on earth or in heaven. It is well for us that the great and cardinal truth, important to be known, and felt, and persevered in—is hidden in no mysterious darkness—is involved in no metaphysical subtlety—but shines on the opening eye of the infant in its cradle—and cheers with lustre the closing vision of extreme old age. It is the sense of human weakness and the mercies of the Almighty. GOD allowed us to look at the heavens, to multiply our sources of knowledge, and of devotion.

The wholesome influence of this delightful truth, guards us from wrong, and from suffering, as far as mortals are permitted to be exempt from error and from pain. For we are, at best, infinitely removed from the enjoyment of those aspirations which enthusiasts in virtue, may easily conceive—and not a little removed, it is feared, even from that severity of discipline which moralists, without excessive rigour, might impose and require.

There are evils nevertheless, which human means cannot avert; that belong to the Divine economy, of which it is not permitted us to complain. When, however, the wonted period of their occurrence passes over, and we have escaped them—when the tornado sleeps in silence, and the pestilence stays his destroying arm—when health arrays the countenance in smiles and buoys up the heart on the current of joy—then is it beautiful to bow at the altar of heaven, and pour forth the overflowing of a grateful soul. Nor can it be displeasing to the Divine Giver of all things, that in the midst of our unworthiness, and in the abundance of our frailties, we turn aside to thank and to bless Him, that He has spared and saved us, and that we will not forever regard His favors, '*with brute unconscious gaze.*'

Charleston Courier.

SABBATH MORNING.

We should endeavor to be contented with every thing, every state, which it is not in our power to remedy. There is no condition so miserable, in which if we please, we cannot find something to be grateful for many sources of contentment. A querulous temper should be immediately resisted; with a little self-command we may in time acquire a habit of patient endurance.—Why should we allow ourselves to complain without some prospect of benefit. We cannot hope always for sympathy, and there is danger of rendering ourselves more unhappy, in consequence of wearying others with the repetitions of our petty vexations. After all if we would examine ourselves carefully, we should find, that many subjects of complaint were imaginary. Some think their numerous cares a burthen, and murmur that so much of their time must be occupied about trifles, but if they are necessary, they should in the performance of them think themselves in the way of duty, and repine not. Let such reflect, that perhaps they are happier, more useful, than they would be without cares. There are few, we believe, who have serious cause of lamenting that their time is too much occupied.—Any innocent employment is better than idleness and the man who is constantly engaged will seldom be unhappy. If we cannot find any thing for our hands to do, we may always turn our eyes inward on our own mind, and find profitable employment. We may give to the poor and afflicted some of our hours of leasure. Ought we not to be cheerfully submissive at all times, and under all circumstances to the will of our heavenly Father? Let us strive to be contented and grateful from inclination, as well as duty. People are apt to give indulgence to their grief, without making sufficient efforts to control their feelings. We do not know what we are capable of effecting till we make and persevere in the attempt. So much has been done by our Creator to make us happy, that it seems like disobeying his will to yield to depression. The christian should present an example of cheerfulness, if it were only to convince others, that he is possessed of a belief and of hopes, which support him in every condition. Be not alarmed if you are called by some insensible. You will be thought so only by those who are ignorant of the "peace which passeth understanding," and which a belief in christianity can alone give—What are all the pleasures, the vanities of this world, compared with the cheering hopes of the christian!

Philadelphia Even. Post.

2300 Cotton BALLS,

AT

Long-Room

112 & 115

THAMES-STREET.

N SWEET, & CO.

Have just received from Boston and New-York Auctions,

A LARGE Supply of Real CHEAP GOODS, as ever was offered in this Town.—Among which are, a Lot of Linen Diaper, for only 10 cents a yard; India Check for 9d; handsome good India Hdkfs. for only 9d; 200 yards Callicoes and Ginghams for only 1s per yard; Cotton Shirting for only 10 cents; 6-4 Book-Muslins for 25 cents; Ladies book-muslin Ruffs for 9d each; elegant Floor Carpeting, cheap; 2300 Cotton BALLS, from 1 cent to 6 cents each ball, strong good English cotton; Ladies Pelisse Cloths; Queen's Cloths and Cassimeres, for Ladies Coats; an Assortment of cheap Blankets, Flannels, Bilmot and Bombazetts; Scotch Plaids, Tartan and Carlian Plaids; One Bale 4-4 Sheeting for only 1s per yard; another lot of Bedticking for 1s6; a very cheap Lot Furniture Chintz. &c. &c.

Newport, Oct. 18

State of Rhode-Island, &c.

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY, OCT. SESSION, A. D. 1823.

AN Act in addition to an act, entitled, "an act to regulate process against Banks, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly and by the authority thereof it is enacted.* That if any incorporated bank established, or which may hereafter be established, within this state, shall hereafter issue pay out, or pass, any bill or bills, note or notes, payable in any thing but gold or silver the president and cashier who shall or who have signed such bill or bills, note or notes, shall respectively forfeit and pay fourfold the amount of such bill or bills, note or notes, to be recovered by action of debt on information, before any court of competent jurisdiction to try the same; one half to and for the use of the person who shall give information thereof, and the other half to and for the use of the state.

SEC 2. *And be it further enacted,* That if any person or persons or body corporate, shall at any time from the thirty days after rising of this General Assembly, pass, or tender in payment, any such bill or bills, note or notes, payable in any thing but gold or silver, which have been or hereafter may be issued, except to the bank or banks which have issued the same, he, she or they who shall so pass, or tender in payment such bill or bills, note or notes except as afore-said, shall incur the same penalties which the president and cashier of any such bank as aforesaid are made liable to incur, by the provisions of the first section of this act.

SEC 3. *And be it further enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the Attorney General to prosecute for and recover all the penalties incurred by any breach of this act.

SEC 4 *And be it further enacted* That the Secretary cause this act to be forthwith published three weeks successively, in all the newspapers printed in this state.

A True Copy;
HENRY BOWEN, *Secretary.*

Woolen Factory,

THE Subscribers respectfully inform their Friends, and the public in general that they have established the Indigo Blue Dyeing, and have employed an experienced workman at colouring and finishing.—Woolen Goods of all descriptions will be finished in the neatest manner and on the most reasonable terms

Wool of all grades carded into rolls in the best manner. They continue to manufacture Wool on shares or by contract as may best suit their employers. The following persons will receive and forward any articles intended for the Union Factory viz.—*Edward Stanhope* and *Robert R. & Francis Carr,* Newport—*George Lawton* Tiverton—*Jeremiah Gifford,* Bristol Ferry

The Subscribers return their sincere thanks to their old customers and solicit the continuance of their favors

JOHN BABCOCK
MOSES LAWTON

Portsmouth April 10

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE Concern heretofore existing at WILMINGTON, N. C. under the Firm of COGGESHALL & MUMFORD, is by mutual consent this day dissolved.

TIMOTHY COGGESHALL,
BENJAMIN MUMFORD.

Newport, Oct. 31, 1823.

WM. J. TILLEY.

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THAMES-STREET,

& *No. 1, Custom-House Court,*

Has Just Opened,

A COMPLETE Assortment of PELISE CLOTHS, for Ladies Great Coats; and having a great quantity on hand, he will sell them lower on that account,—He has also opened, Drab Pelise Cloths, from 6s to 24s per yard, for gentlemen's and boys Great Coats,—Also, Plushes for trimmings and Ladies Hats, and a few black ostrich plumes, very cheap,—Likewise, A complete Assortment of GOODS, suitable for the Season, and where those who wish good Goods, for a little money, will do well to call and examine, before they buy.

On hand, Four Pieces of Kidderminster Carpeting, which to close the sale, he will sell them at cost.

Newport, Oct. 18.

William Crooke,

Has just received and for sale, at his store in Thames-Street,

175,000 best Alexandria SEGARS, in Cases of 6000, and Boxes of 1000 each.

Newport. Oct 18.

West Baptist Society Lottery, 2d class.

SCHEME.

1	Prize of $2000	is	2000
3	500		1500
2	300		600
6	100		600
10	50		500
10	30		300
10	20		200
500	10		5000
1550	6		9300
2092 Prizes			$20,000

Deduction 15 per cent—Not two Blanks to a Prize—Prizes only to be drawn—Seven days drawing—Drawing will commence Jan. 1s 1824.

The above is a neat scheme and worthy attention.—Present price of Tickets, Wholes $5—Halves 2 62—Quarters 1 37—Eighths 75 Cents—to be had in a great Variety of Numbers, at the Fortunate Lottery Office of

J. C. SHAW,

Who sold in the last Lottery, One Prize of $500—Three do of 50—One of 25—Twenty-three of 10—and a very large number of 8 & 6 dollar Prizes.

Classes open for Subscription, and all orders promptly obeyed,—and Tickets forwarded, Postage being paid.

Newport, Oct. 25.

CHARTS.

Wm. H. Rathbone,

Has just Received and offers for Sale at his Store, head of Packet Wharf

A NEW CHART, extending fom New-York to Havanna, improved by Government Surveys in 1820 with a general Assortment of Charts of the latest surveys.—Bowditchs Navigators 9th edition; American Coast Pilots 10th edition; Nautical Almanacks for the years 1822 & 1823; Seamen's Daily Assistant—with a complete assortment of Nautical Instuments.—Letter Writing, Log and Wrapping Paper; quills and Ink-Powder

Also, A general Assortment of Hardware, Cutlery, Cordage and hip Chandlery.

Just Received, 30 Casks Cut Nails assorted sizes; 30 M Bricks; 20 dozen Tile.

☞ Cordage and Cables made to order, and Vessels furnished with every article for long and short voyages

Newport, August 10.

MILLINARY.

Avis C. Tillinghast,

Informs her Friends, and the Inhabitants of Newport,

THAT she attends to BONNET MAKING in all its variety, at No. 8, Church-street, where she will be happy to wait on her old friends and the public in general.

Newport, Oct. 18. 6w

LADIES MAGAZINE.

THE 3d Number of the LADIES MAGAZINE is now ready for distribution, and may be had at the Book-Store of Messrs. *Wm. & J. H. Barber,* at Mr. *Samuel W. Vinson's,* and at the office of *B. B. Mumford,* Esq—At each of these places subscription papers are opened.—Subscribers will please call or send for their Magazines, to Deacon Samuel Vinson's, Church-street.

Newport, Nov. 14

Cheap Broadcloths, and Cassimeres.

ISAAC GOULD,

No. 176, Thames-Street,

HAS just received from the New-York Auctions, the following NEW GOODS which he will sell at very reduced prices for Cash, viz.

Broadcloths from 1 25 to 10 dollars
Cassimeres of various prices
Ladies Cloths—superb fashionable Vestings; common ditto
Double milled striped Cassimeres
Gentlemen's lambs-wool Shirts and Draws
Silk and Tabby Velvets
Scotch Plaid and Camb'et, for cloaks
Red, white and green Flannels
Drab Kerseys and mixt Sattinetts
Rich gilt Coat and vest Buttons
Beaver Gloves and Suspenders

Also, A Lot of Cotton Shirtings, which will be sold very low by the Piece, for Cash.

Newport, Oct. 4

NICHOLAS GEFFROY,

No. 127, Thames-Street,

HAS just bought, and received from New-York, a large and extensive Assortment of GOODS consisting of

Cutlery and Hardware.

Britannia Tea-Pots; cream and sugar Dishes; plated Castors; Tea Trays shell and horn Combs; brass and plated Candlesticks; brass Andirons shovels and Tongs of the newest patterns; Looking-Glasses and Looking-glass Plates of all sizes; and a variety of other Articles too numerous to mention These Goods having been principally bought at Auction at a very low rate they will be sold at a modeate advance. —He also keeps as usual Watches Watch chains chrystals and keys.—Also, an assortment of Jewelry; Silver table and tea spoons as usual; and gives the true value of Old Gold and Silver agreeably to its quality

Flour, Corn, Staves, Tar, &c

800 Bbls. Baltimore Howard street FLOUR; 4000 Bushels North-Carolina CORN, weighing 54 lbs. per bushel; 100,000 Pipe, Hhd. heading and barrel Staves; 300 bbls. best Murfreesborough Tar; 25 do. Rosin; 25 do Pitch; 12 do bright Varnish;—*Likewise,* Jamaica Rum and Sugar.—All these Articles will be sold at reduced prices

Newport, June 2

To Manufacturers.

THE Subscribers continue to receive and sell on Consignment in this City every description of DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES.—Liberal advances made and the strictest attention paid to the Interests of their correspondents—Address Messrs. *J. Dunnell & Co* of Providence or the Subscribers resident in Philadelphia.

LYMAN & BROTHERS
No 24 South Front-street

Philadelphia Sept. 1. 4mo.

VALUABLE FARM.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale his FARM at the south end of the Island of Prudence containing 62 Acres.—The Dwelling House is built of brick and stone, of good materials and is 42 feet square with a dry cellar under it, with brick partitions—The other buildings on the Farm are, a good Crib 30 by 25 feet, a Barn 50 by 30, a table, and a Cheese-House; and a good well of water which is never dry, with other conveniences necessary for such a Farm.—*Also,* Another Dwelling-House on said Farm, with a Barn 40 by 30 feet.—There is plenty of manure on the shores, and the land is good for grass, grain and other produce, and will average annually 3000 bushels grain and some years has produced 3000 bushels of Corn, besides other grain, and will keep 80 head of cattle, besides sheep and horses—This Farm is one of the best in the tate, is remarkably pleasant, and fronts the harbor of Newport.—An indisputable title will be given.—For terms apply to the Subscriber on the premises.

DANIEL CHASE.

Portsmouth, June 20.

FOR SALE,

A FARM lying in Woodstock, (Con.) containing Two Hundred Acres of excellent Land with a new two-story Dwelling-House 30 by 40 feet completely finished and painted; another Dwelling-House suitable for a tenant; two new barns and other out buildings; a cider mill and a good orchard that will make 100 bbls. of Cider annually.—It is well wooded and watered and will keep 50 head of cattle the year round; it is within fifty rods of a saw and grist mill and clothiers works, and conveniently situated near a Meeting and school-house.—Terms of payment made easy to the purchaser. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber living on the premises.

HENRY HOWARD.

Woodstock, (Con.) Oct. 26.